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OF MEXICAN NATIONALS

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IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION AS TO WHY THOMAS MCBRIDE OF
WATERGATE SPECIAL PROSECUTION FORCE (WSPF) WAS PLANNING
VISIT MEXICO WHEN PERSONS OF INTEREST TO WSPF HAD DECLINED
TO BE INTERVIEWED, RUFF OF WSPF INFORMED US THAT HE HAD
BEEN INFORMED THAT ONE OF THE PERSONS (CREEL) HAD NOW
AGREED TO SUBMIT TO INTERVIEW AND MCBRIDE WAS MAKING VISIT
TO TALK TO HIM. RUFF STATED HE FULLY AWARE OF GROUND RULES
THAT PROVIDED THAT INTERVIEWS BE ON PURELY VOLUNTARY BASIS
AND THAT HIS OFFICE DID NOT REPEAT NOT INTEND
INTERVIEW PERSONS WHO DID NOT WISH TO BE INTERVIEWED.
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